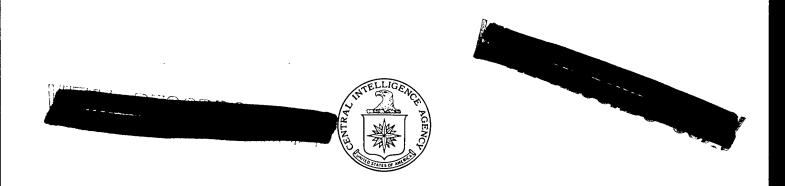
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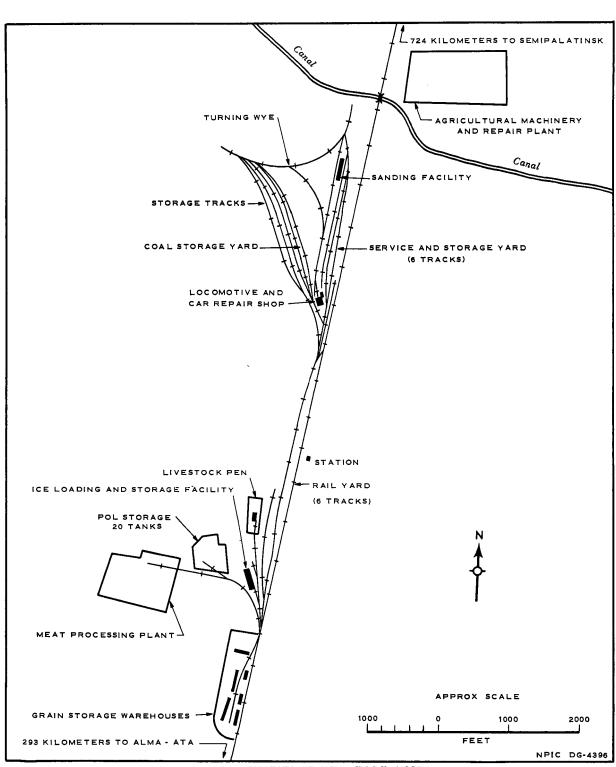
Ush-Tobe (45-16N 77-58E), a major agricultural center, is located 140 nm NE of Alma-Ata on the single-track railroad (Route 480) leading north toward Semipalatinsk. As shown on the accompanying line drawing, the relatively minor rail facilities include: A rail yard, 4,200 feet long, six tracks wide; four-stall locomotive and car repair shop, 105 by 70 feet, with adjoining shop, 75 by 50 feet; service and storage yard, 1,800 feet long, six tracks wide; ice loading and storage facility, 500 by 160 feet, served by two tracks; coal storage yard, 1,550 by 215 feet, served by three tracks; turning wye, effective length, 430 feet; sanding facility, 470 by 160 feet, with two sanding towers, served by three tracks; and a passenger station, 150 by 50 feet.

The principal industries in Ush-Tobe are related to agriculture and include an agricultural machinery and repair plant, a large meat processing combine, grain storage warehouses, and POL storage.

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